### SPOTTING Giving USA 2018: Annual Report on Philanthropy for the Year 2017



# S410.02 given to charity in 2017 - EXCEEDING S400 BILLION FOR THE FIRST TIME

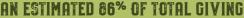
2017

joins other record-breaking years for giving:

1991 BROKE S100 BILLION 1999 BROKE S200 BILLION 2007 BROKE \$300 BILLION

2017 charitable giving is UP 5.2% OVER 2016

The single largest contributor to the increase in total charitable giving was the increase in giving by individuals



came from individuals, bequests and family foundations

Giving by foundations has **reached a new** high in each of the last six years

FOUNDATIONS \$66.90 billion

• INDIVIDUALS \$286.65 billion

**▲** up 5.2% over 2016

Per capita giving by **US adults 18 and older averaged** \$1,165; giving by households averaged \$2,271

▲ up 6.0%

- · Giving by independent foundations grew 4.9%
- Giving by operating foundations grew 6.2%
- Giving by community foundations grew 11%

• BEOUESTS

Includes one mega-bequest (\$300 million+) that totaled **\$850 million** 

Corporate pre-tax profits **increased 4.1%** 



Corporate giving was boosted by \$405 million in contributions for relief related to manmade and natural disasters



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**ECONOMIC FACTORS DROVE GIVING** 

Personal Consumption: **4.5%** 

**▲ 19.4%** 

Personal **▲** 3.1%

▲ 2.9%

GDP: **4.1%** 

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The six largest subsectors all grew in 2017, but growth rates varied widely **from 2.9% to 15.5%** 

8 OF THE 9 charitable subsectors realized growth in giving

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Giving to foundations included



**PUBLIC-SOCIETY BENEFIT**\$29.59 billion

• up 7.8%
over 2016

**1%** GIFTS TO FOUNDATIONS \$45.89 billion

The increase in giving to foundations was the largest gain of any subsector, far outpacing the growth in total giving



INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS ▼ down 4.4%

percentage of contributions

The decrease in giving to international affairs in 2017 follows six consecutive years of growth

Giving to public-society benefit increased for the

National (commercial) donor-advised funds are counted in public-society benefit and are a steady



Giving to human services marked its fourth consecutive year of growth



ARTS/CULTURE/HUMANITIES

\$19.51 billion

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Giving to arts/culture/humanities grew for the fifth consecutive year and



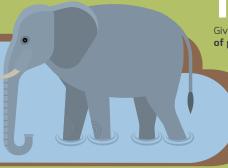
Giving to education marked its fourth consecutive year



**ENVIRONMENT/ANIMALS**\$11.83 billion

\$\text{billion} \text{up 7.2%} \text{over 2016}

Giving to environment/animals had a two-year growth rate of 11.5%



share of total giving



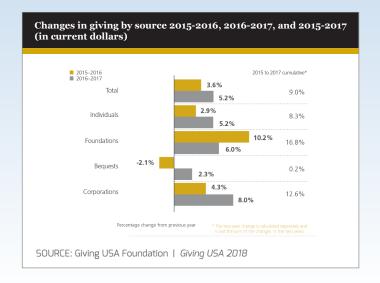
▼ down 20.7% TO INDIVIDUAL5
from 2016

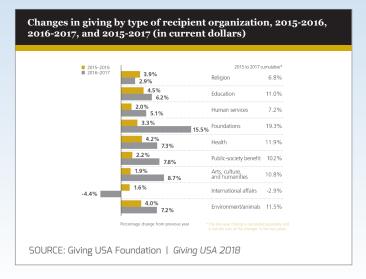
The bulk of gifts to individuals are in-kind gifts of medications from pharmaceutical companies

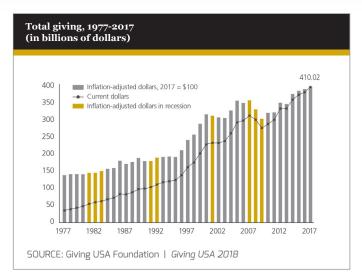


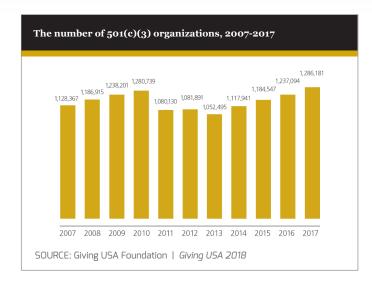


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